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Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application, Filing Date Granted ("Notice"), dated September 20, 2001, Applicants submit herewith: (a) an executed Declaration for Non-Provisional Patent Application; (b) a Power of Attorney by Assignee, executed on November 8, 2001 by Marcel Crochet on behalf of l'Université catholique de Louvain; (c) a Power of Attorney by Assignee, executed on January 15, 2002 by Birgit Kerber on behalf of The European Molecular Biology Laboratory; (d) a Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a); and (e) a return copy of the Notice.

Applicants are also submitting two executed Assignments, copies of which are enclosed, for recordation on even date herewith: (a) an executed Assignment dated November 11, 2001 assigning Bernard Hallet's rights in the above-identified patent application to l'Université catholique de Louvain; and (b) an executed Assignment dated November 14, 2001 assigning A.

Francis Stewart's and Youming Zhang's rights in the above-identified patent application to The European Molecular Biology Laboratory.

In accordance with the Notice, \$130.00 is now due. Please charge the required fee to Pennie & Edmonds LLP Deposit Account No. 16-1150. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed for accounting purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

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